

✓ "CUTTING UP" ✓

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A Story of the Meat Industry.

In early days live stock was shipped directly to the place of consumption, today it is shipped to a few central points, dressed and distributed throughout the country, making it possible to utilize all by-products.

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Arriving at Union Stock Yards.
After a buyer purchases a "lot" of cattle, a complete record is kept of his "lot" until handed to the retailer.

Some inside stuff. The Viscera (Stomach and organs) is inspected and if found diseased is sent to U. S. Inspection Department.

Equality: - as aided by the use of the cleaver and the saw.

Washed thoroughly and put on conveyors.

Chill Room where the animal heat is gradually removed.

With the aid of refrigeration, America is able to export large supplies of fresh meat.

Pick your favorite cut.

No department of the Packing Industry has progressed as has pork packing. Formerly this was done only during the winter.

Pulling leaf lard and splitting the hog. This is considered an even break.

As soon as the hogs are thoroughly chilled, they are ready for cutting. Hams being cut off and trimmed.

Zip! Off comes another shoulder.

Sawing ribs by hand. Some go into spare ribs and the remainder to pork loin.

The Loins are then pulled.

Sides made into their respective cuts.

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Spare Ribs.

Right from the shoulder.
The famous California style hams.

Salting down hams for curing which
takes from 30 to 60 days.

Removing the chill. A highly favored
operation.

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